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DOPAMINE D4 RECEPTOR AGONISTS

FOR TREATING SEXUAL

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith for the patent application identified above entitled THE USE OF SELECTIVE DOPAMINE D4 RECEPTOR AGONISTS FOR TREATING SEXUAL DYSFUNCTION are the following:

- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, in duplicate;
- 2. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application;
- 3. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney; and
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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